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In the Matter of)
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 Amendment of Section 73.202(b)) RM _____
 Table of Allotments)
 FM Broadcast Stations)
 (Tecopa, California))

To: Assistant Chief, Audio Division, Media Bureau

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Office of the Secretary

Petition for Rule Making

Shamrock Communications, Inc. ("Shamrock"), by its counsel, hereby respectfully requests that the Commission commence a rule making proceeding to allot Channel 288A to Tecopa, California.¹ The instant petition for rule making is filed concurrently with, and contingent upon the grant of, an FCC 301 Auction 68 long form application for a new FM station on Channel 291A at Tecopa, California (FIN 170180), which seeks a one-step upgrade from Channel 291A to Channel 290C1, a change in the community of license from Tecopa, California to Amargosa Valley, Nevada, and a change in the transmitter site, among other things ("Amargosa Valley Application"). Please cross-reference and note that the instant petition for rule making is contingent upon the grant of the Amargosa Valley Application.

Upon grant of the Amargosa Valley Application (and removal of Channel 291A from Tecopa, California), Channel 288A may be allotted to Tecopa, California to provide Tecopa with its first local transmission service. The allotment of Channel 288A to Tecopa, California may be

¹ As required by the new rules and procedures adopted by the Commission in its *Report and Order* in MB Docket No. 05-210, FCC 06-163, released November 29, 2006, Shamrock is filing an FCC 301 application specifying the proposed Channel 288A facilities at Tecopa, California contemporaneously with the filing of the instant petition for rule making.

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made in compliance with the Commission's separation and allocation requirements. Channel 288A may be allotted at the original Channel 291A reference coordinates of 35-50-48 North Latitude; 116-13-24 West Longitude (NAD 27), which site is approximately at the community coordinates of Tecopa, California. Attached to the end of this petition is a Channel Study showing that these allotment coordinates are fully spaced to all allotments per 47 CFR 73.207.

Shamrock requests that the FM Table of Allotments be amended as follows:

<u>Community</u>	<u>Present Channel</u>	<u>Proposed Channel</u>
Tecopa, California	291A ²	288A

Since Channel 291A is currently allotted to Tecopa, California, Tecopa is a community for allotment purposes. In addition, the grant of the Amargosa Valley Application and the allotment of Channel 288A at Tecopa, California will result in a preferential arrangement of FM channel allotments. Tecopa, California will receive its first local transmission service from channel 288A while the grant of the Amargosa Valley Application will allow Shamrock to provide a second local transmission service to Amargosa Valley, Nevada.³ Channel 288A fits at the same reference coordinates as Channel 291A and will provide the exact same service that Channel 291A would have provided to Tecopa.

² As explained above, the instant petition for rule making was filed concurrently with, and contingent upon the grant of the Amargosa Valley Application (i.e., an FCC 301 Auction 68 long form application for a new FM station on Channel 291A at Tecopa, California (FIN 170180), which seeks a one-step upgrade from Channel 291A to Channel 290C1, a change in the community of license from Tecopa, California to Amargosa Valley, Nevada, and a new transmitter site, among other things). The grant of the Amargosa Valley Application will remove Channel 291A from Tecopa, California.

³ Amargosa Valley, Nevada receives first local transmission service from KPKK(FM), Channel 266C, Amargosa Valley, Nevada (FIN 87384).

Shamrock hereby certifies that if Channel 288A is allotted to Tecopa, California, Shamrock intends to apply to participate in the auction for the Channel 288A, Tecopa, California facilities, and to promptly construct the Channel 288A, Tecopa, California facilities if Shamrock is the winning bidder for such facilities.

WHEREFORE, for the reasons above, Shamrock respectfully requests that the Commission grant the Amargosa Valley Application (i.e., an FCC 301 Auction 68 long form application for a new FM station on Channel 291A at Tecopa, California (FIN 170180), which seeks a one-step upgrade from Channel 291A to Channel 290C1, a change in the community of license from Tecopa, California to Amargosa Valley, Nevada, and a new transmitter site, among other things) and commence a rule making proceeding to allot Channel 288A at Tecopa, California.

Respectfully submitted,

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 Master Database: 2007_Feb_25.fmd
 Lat: N35:50:48 Lon: W116:13:24 NAD-27
 Channel: 288 Class: A

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Status: Licensed, Construction Permit, Application, Addition, Vacant/Reserved
 Channels: Co-Channel, 1st Adj, 2nd Adj, 3rd Adj, IF
 Range: 100 km

Comments: No Comments

Description: Prop, Ref Coord, 105.5 MHz; Tecopa, CA; Spacing Study; 6 kw @ 639m AMSL No
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Callsign	City	Stat	Latitude (NAD2)	Longitude (NAD2)	Ser	Channel	Cla	Stat	73	207	Mi	73	207	C	ERP	HAA	Adjac	Distan	Bearin
STAT:VAC	TECOPA	CA	N35:50:48	W116:13:24	ED	288	105.5 MH	A	VA	115	-115.00	0.00	0	Co-Ch	0.00	000			
@ PROP	USER ADD	XX	N36:31:16	W116:16:50	ED	290	105.9 MH	C1	LIC	75	0.01	0.00	0	2nd A	75.01	356			
KOAS	DOLAN SPRI	AZ	N35:50:11	W114:19:08	FM	289	105.7 MH	C	LIC	165	7.06	100.0	537	1st Ad	172.06	090			
KRSX-FM	YERMO	CA	N34:59:44	W116:50:16	FM	287	105.3 MH	B1	LIC	96	13.69	0.40	693	1st Ad	109.69	211			
# ALL PROP	USER ADD	XX	N36:39:05	W116:24:55	ED	290	105.9 MH	C1	LIC	75	15.94	0.00	0	2nd A	90.94	349			
NEW	ALAMO	NV	N37:21:07	W115:19:30	FM	288	105.5 MH	C2	AP	166	19.36	0.80	916	Co-Ch	185.36	026			
NEW	ALAMO	NV	N37:21:07	W115:19:30	FM	288	105.5 MH	C2	RS	166	19.36	0.00	0	Co-Ch	185.36	026			
STAT:ADD	ALAMO	NV	N37:21:07	W115:19:30	FM	288	105.5 MH	C2	AD	166	19.36	0.00	0	Co-Ch	185.36	026			
KLOA-FM	RIDGECREST	CA	N35:38:47	W117:23:20	FM	285	104.9 MH	B	RS	69	38.75	0.00	0	3rd Ad	107.75	258			
KQRT	LAS VEGAS	NV	N36:20:00	W115:21:41	FM	286	105.1 MH	C2	CP	55	39.56	50.00	49	2nd A	94.56	055			
KQRT	LAS VEGAS	NV	N36:20:00	W115:21:41	FM	286	105.1 MH	C2	LIC	55	39.56	50.00	11	2nd A	94.56	055			
KHRQ	BAKER	CA	N35:26:09	W115:55:22	FM	235	94.9 MHz	B1	LIC	12	41.09	1.40	393	IF	53.09	149			
K288FS	PAHRUMP	NV	N36:12:25	W115:57:35	FM	288	105.5 MH	DX	CP	0	46.50	0.14	0	Co-Ch	46.50	031			
K288FN	CHARLESTO	NV	N36:19:15	W115:34:15	FM	288	105.5 MH	DX	CP	0	78.88	0.01	0	Co-Ch	78.88	048			
KLOA-FM	RIDGECREST	CA	N35:28:41	W117:41:58	FM	285	104.9 MH	B1	LIC	48	91.79	1.50	399	3rd Ad	139.79	253			
KOSS	ROSAMOND	CA	N34:51:03	W118:09:22	FM	288	105.5 MH	A	LIC	115	92.55	6.00	94	Co-Ch	207.55	238			
NEW	LAS VEGAS	NV	N36:09:22	W115:15:35	FM	291	106.1 MH	DX	AP	0	93.42	0.04	0	3rd Ad	93.42	068			
STAT:ADD	LAUGHLIN	NV	N35:15:08	W114:44:58	FM	285	104.9 MH	C2	AD	55	94.03	0.00	0	3rd Ad	149.03	116			
KXRS	HEMET	CA	N34:01:41	W116:58:40	FM	288	105.5 MH	A	CP	115	98.20	6.00	85	Co-Ch	213.20	199			
NEW	LAS VEGAS	NV	N36:07:44	W115:11:22	FM	291	106.1 MH	DX	AP	0	98.35	0.01	0	3rd Ad	98.35	071			

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